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SUBJECT: MIKI VISIT ANNOUNCEMENT

1. BELIEVE THAT ENGLISH TEXT PROPOSED FOR USE BY GOJ
SPOKESMAN IN PROVIDING ORAL BACKGROUNDER TO PRESS ON MIKI
VISIT IN TOKYO AT 9:30 AM JUNE 16 TOKYO TIME COULD LEAD TO
MISUNDERSTANDING OF BACKGROUND AND PLANS FOR VISIT. TO
CLARIFY INTENT OF BOTH SIDES WE URGE ACCEPTANCE OF FOLLOWING
ENGLISH STATEMENT.

2. BEGIN TEXT: THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN AND THE UNITED
STATES GOVERNMENT HAVE AGREED THAT PRIME MINISTER MIKI WILL
VISIT WASHINGTON ON AUGUST 5 AND 6 IN RESPONSE TO AN
INVITATION FROM THE PRESIDENT. DURING HIS VISIT, THE
PRIME MINISTER WILL MEET WITH PRESIDENT FORD ON AUGUST 5-6
FOR DISCUSSIONS ON MATTERS OF MUTUAL CONCERN. PRESIDENT
FORD WILL ALSO HOST A DINNER FOR THE PRIME MINISTER AT THE
WHITE HOUSE ON THE EVENING OF AUGUST 5. OFFICIAL CEREMONIAL
EVENTS WILL BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT BE KEPT TO A MINIMUM SO THAT
PRIME MINISTER MIKI AND PRESIDENT FORD WILL HAVE AS MUCH
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TIME AS POSSIBLE FOR SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS. THE VISIT
WAS APPROVED BY THE JAPANESE CABINET ON APRIL 15.

PRIME MINISTER MIKI WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. MIKI
AND BY THE MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

IN THE US, THE PRIME MINISTER WILL VISIT SEATTLE, NEW YORK
AND LOS ANGELES AS WELL AS WASHINGTON. THE DETAILS OF THE
SCHEDULE WILL BE WORKED OUT IN DISCUSSIONS BY BOTH SIDES
IN FUTURE. END TEXT

3. WE WILL MAKE NO ANNOUNCEMENT HERE BUT WILL CONFIRM
CONTENT OF GOJ BACKGROUNDER IF ASKED.

4. AMEND PARA 2 ABOVE SO THAT TEXT INCLUDES WORD "WORKING"
BEFORE "DINNER" IN LINE SEVEN. KISSINGER

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